

HOUSE BILL 4044

By Towns

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 47,
Chapter 18, Part 1, relative to consumer
protection.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 47-18-104(b), is amended by adding the following language as a new, appropriately designated subdivision:

(45) Engaging in the business of operating private parking services and:

(A) Using any device to immobilize a motor vehicle for unauthorized parking on property owned by such operator;

(B) Charging a fee to remove such immobilizing device; and

(C) Refusing to allow the owner or operator of such motor vehicle to pay such fee by his choice of cash, credit card or personal check.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2008, the public welfare requiring it.